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TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request AGENCY: Tennessee Valley Authority.

ACTION: 30-day notice of submission of information collection approval and request for comments.

SUMMARY: This is a renewal request for approval of the Application for Section 26a Permit (OMB No. 3316-0060). The information collection described below will be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) at, oira_submission@omb.eop.gov, for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. chapter 35, as amended). The Tennessee Valley Authority is soliciting public comments on this proposed collection as provided by 5 CFR section 1320.8(d)(1).

DATES: Comments should be sent to the Agency Clearance Officer and the OMB Office of Information & Regulatory Affairs, Attention: Desk Officer for Tennessee Valley Authority, Washington, DC 20503, or email: oira_submission@omb.eop.gov, no later than [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS FROM DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Requests for information, including copies of the information collection proposed and supporting documentation, should be directed to the Senior Privacy Program Manager: Christopher A. Marsalis, Tennessee Valley Authority, 400 W. Summit Hill Dr. (WT 5D), Knoxville, Tennessee 37902-1401; telephone (865) 632-2467 or email: camarsalis@tva.gov; or to Joy L. Lloyd, Tennessee Valley Authority, 400 W.

Summit Hill Dr. (WT 5A), Knoxville, Tennessee 37902-1401; telephone (865) 632-

8370 or email: illloyd@tva.gov; or to the Agency Clearance Officer: Philip D. Propes,

Tennessee Valley Authority, 1101 Market Street (MP 2C), Chattanooga, Tennessee

37402-2801; telephone (423) 751-8593 or email: pdpropes@tva.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Type of Request: Reauthorization

Title of Information Collection: Section 26a Permit Application

Frequency of Use: On occasion

Type of Affected Public: Individuals or households, state or local governments, farms,

businesses, or other for-profit, Federal agencies or employees, non-profit institutions,

small businesses or organizations.

Small Businesses or Organizations Affected: Yes

Federal Budget Functional Category Code: 452

Estimated Number of Annual Responses: 1,800

Estimated Average Burden Hours Per Response: 2.0

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 3,600

Need For and Use of Information: TVA Land Management activities and section 26a of

the Tennessee Valley Authority Act of 1933, as amended, require TVA to collect

information relevant to projects that will impact TVA land and land rights and review and

approve plans for the construction, operation, and maintenance of any dam, appurtenant

works, or other obstruction affecting navigation, flood control, or public lands or

reservations across, along, or in the Tennessee River or any of its tributaries. The

information is collected via paper forms and/or electronic submissions and is used to

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assess the impact of the proposed project on TVA land or land rights and statutory TVA programs to determine if the project can be approved. Rules for implementation of TVA's section 26a responsibilities are published in 18 CFR part 1304.

Philip D. Propes,

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Enterprise Information Security and Policy.

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